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## Banks.

### NOTICE.

## RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the  
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager,  
Hongkong, September 1, 1888. 764

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$7,500,000  
RESERVE FUND, \$4,000,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS, \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman—HON. JOHN BELL-IRVING.  
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CHIEF MANAGER.  
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LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG.  
INTEREST ALLOWED.  
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
ON Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager,  
Hongkong, September 4, 1888. 363

## Intimations.

### NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOM HOUSE,  
Kowloon, 20th Dec. 1888.

ON TUESDAY NEXT, the 26th Instant, being CHRISTMAS DAY, and on TUESDAY, the 1st January, 1889, being NEW YEAR'S DAY, this OFFICE and the OPPIUM EXAMINATION HULK will be CLOSED to the transaction of all Business, but Work at the CUSTOMS STATIONS will proceed as usual.

F. A. MORGAN,  
Commissioner of Customs.

### NOTICE.

JETTY'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned have this Day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the sale of these Sanitary Compounds, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit Purchasers, at Wholesale Prices. Extra special terms for Shipping and large orders.

W. G. HUMPHREYS & CO.,  
Bank Buildings,  
Hongkong, October 1, 1888. 1862

## Business Notices.

## CHRISTMAS 1888.

## LAND CRAWFORD & CO.

ARE NOW SHOWING THEIR NEW STOCK OF  
FANCY GOODS AND DELICACIES  
SUITABLE FOR THE FESTIVE SEASON.

### CHRISTMAS AND NEW-YEAR PRESENTS.

## Handsome Centre-Pieces & Table Flower Sets.

Fancy China Tea Sets  
Fancy Ornamentals  
Fancy Flower Holders  
Fancy Table Lamps  
Exquisite Art productions in Table Flower Sets  
Ornate's newest Flower Bowls & Specimen Glasses  
Porcelain Menu Tablets  
Fancy China Tea-pots, Creams and Sugars  
Pretty Table Bells and Gongs  
Paper Knives and Trays  
Gilt and Crystal Flower Holders  
Bracket Mirrors  
Toilet Table Sets  
Pamper Grass Holders  
Nickel & Gilt 'Tantalus' Spirit Frames

## NEWEST FANCY LEATHER GOODS.

Cigar and Cigarette Cases  
Cabinet Albums  
Table Portrait Stands  
Newest Portrait Albums  
Tourist Writing Cases  
Perfume Bottles in Cases  
Fitted Dressing Cases  
Fitted Travelling Bags  
Birthday Books  
Autograph Albums  
Music Bases  
Music Holders  
Handsome Jewel Cases  
De-patch Boxes

## THE LATEST DESIGNS IN FANCY LAMP AND CANDLE SHADES.

Cigar and Cigarette Holders.  
Cigar Cutters.  
Electric Lighters.  
Tobacco Boxes.  
Fancy Tobacco Pouches.  
Smokers' Fancy Goods.

## The Manillas.

(The finest Manila Cigar procurable, in splendid condition.)

## CHILDREN'S TOYS, NEWEST MECHANICAL TOYS, WORKING STEAM MODELS, IN-DOOR GAMES FOR YOUNG AND OLD.

## CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS:—

Fancy Boxes for X'mas Trees.  
Illuminated Heads.  
Furry Surprise Boxes.  
Flags and Banners.  
Coloured Wax Candles.  
Gilded Sprays.  
Magic Bouquets.  
Tree Candle Holders.  
Confectionery Boxes.  
Holly and Mistletoe Wreaths.

## COSAUQUES:—

Tom Smith's and Woods' newest Crackers, containing:—Head-dresses, Jewellery, Toys, Mottoes, Lullage, Poetry, Songs, Dresses, Games, and all the latest fun.

## BOOKS:—

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF HANDSOMELY BOUND VOLUMES, SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS. Special attention has been paid to this department, and this year's assortment has been carefully selected to suit every variety of refined taste.

CHURCH SERVICES, PRAYER BOOKS, HYMN BOOKS, BIBLES AND TESTAMENTS.

Children's BOOKS, The Latest NOVELS, MAGAZINES AND ANNUALS.

## Christmas and New Year Cards.

## NEW MUSIC.

ALL THE NEWEST SONGS, DUETS AND PART SONGS,  
ALL THE LATEST DANCE MUSIC,  
ALL THE MODERN DRAWING-ROOM SOLOS AND DUETS,  
CLASSICAL MUSIC.

Comic Songs ... Violin Solos ... Sacred Music  
Popular Music ... Standard Music ... Violin and Piano Duets  
VOLUMES:—Volumes of Songs, Volumes of Piano Solos, Volumes of Dance Music, and Volumes of Classical Music.  
OPERAS:—Focal Scores, Piano Scores, Vocal Scores.

## A HANDSOME TABLE FOUNTAIN.

## ELECTRO-PLATED NICKEL SILVER WARE.

AND EVERY DESCRIPTION OF TABLE PLATE.

A GOOD SELECTION OF ARTICLES, IN SATIN-LINED MOROCCO CASES, SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.

## Christmas Wine List:—

AYALA & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.  
L. C. & Co.'s & CUTLER PALMER'S CHOICE PORTS.  
SACCOONE'S SHERRIES, MANZANILLA, AND AMONTILLADO.  
ADET SEWARD & Co.'s BORDEAUX WINES:—  
MEDOC, HAUT TAHERNE, St. EMILION, MARGAUX, CHATEAU LAROSE and CHATEAU LATVIE.  
HOCKS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNE.  
BRANDIES:—COGNAC, HENNESSY'S, EXSHAW'S, and very Old LIQUEUR BRANDY, 1848 Vintage.  
WHISKIES:—THE CAMERON, NAPIER, JOHNSON'S, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s Special 'Teacher's', DUNVILLE's, and Choice Old BOURBON.  
RUM, GIN, and LIQUEURS.  
BITTERS:—ANGOSTURA, BOKERS, ORANGE, CHIBETTA, ALE and PORTER.  
Assorted Cases of CHRISTMAS WINES AND SPIRITS.

## Christmas Delicacies.

New Season's PUDDING FRUITS in Bulk.  
SOUPS:—Real Turtle, Mulligatawny, Ox-tail, Giblet, Clam Chowder, Soup and Bouilli, Hotch Potch, &c., &c., &c.  
FISH:—Sardines in Oil, Citron, Tomatoes and Butter, Whitebait, Trout, Anchovies, Oysters, Tamarind Fish, Macassar Red Fish, Harengs and Maccareaux au vin Blanc, Pickled, Salmon Outlets, Salmon Kippers, Finesse Haddock, Digby Chicks, &c., &c.  
PATENT PRESERVED LAX.  
GAME AND PATTIES:—Bore's Head, Wild Duck, Paté de Foies Gras, assorted Game and English Patties, Rabbit and Onions, French Patés, Grouse, Truffled Chicken in Jelly.  
TONGUES:—Smoked, Collared, Picnic, Lunch, Spiced, Paysande, Pig's Russian Or.  
SUNDRIES:—Apple Sauce, Brawn, Essences, Pig's Feet, Sage-and-Union Stuffing, Tripe, Potted Meats, Canned Peas, Carrots, Raisins, Spices, Minced Collops, Curries, Chutneys, French and English Vegetables, Black Leicestershire Mince, Assorted Pickles, Tobacco Sauce, Flavoured Jellies, Salad Cream, French Vinegar, French Mustard, Stuffed Olives, Lyons Sausages, Wiltshire Bacon, &c., &c.  
DESSERT FRUITS:—Fruits in Syrup, Noyau and Brandy; Crystallized Fruits, French Plums, Jordan Almonds, Orange, Lemon and Vanilla Creams, Cutting's Dessert Fruits, assorted Tart Fruits, Metz Fruits.

New Season's MOSCATELS, SMYRNA Figs, Apples, ELIAS PRIMS.

## NUTS:—ALMONDS IN SHELL, BRAZIL, FILBERTS, AND BARGELONA.

## HUNTLEY & PALMER'S CHRISTMAS CAKES.

FINEST SELECTED YORK HAMS.  
Wiltshire—Cured side Bacon and Bath Chops.

## CHEESE

GORGONZOLA, GLOSTER, ALBERT, ROCHFORD, AND STILTON.

## HUNTLEY & PALMER'S 'CHRISTMAS' & ASSORTED BISCUITS.

JOE WARE'S

## CONFECTIONERY

FANCY BONBON BOXES.  
FANCY CHOCOLATES AND CHOCOLATE CREAMS.  
COSAUQUES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December, 1888.

## Business Notices.

## THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

## NOVELTIES

IN ALL  
DEPARTMENTS.

## CHRISTMAS.

### NOVELTIES

IN ALL  
DEPARTMENTS.

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE LTD.  
Hongkong, December 14, 1888. 2109

## Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and SMOKING ROOMS. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,  
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1888. 1612

## W. POWELL & Co.

EX STEAMSHIP PESHAWUR.

## FURTHER SUPPLIES OF NEW GOODS,

SUITABLE FOR Christmas Presents.

W. POWELL & Co.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, December 17, 1888. 2133

## NEW GOODS.

TALL SILK HATS.  
" DRAB FEZ HATS.  
BLACK, BROWN, DRAB and GREY HARE FET HATS.  
Tweed Hats and Caps in new shapes.  
STRAW and PITH HATS.  
SILK UMBRELLAS, from \$5, over 10 to choose from.  
WALKING STICKS, a very large assortment.  
WATERPROOF COATS, LEOPARDS and CHAIN APREONS.  
TRAVELLING RUBS & SCOTCH MANS.  
OVER COATINGS, light and heavy.  
OVER COATINGS, Ulster Tweeds.  
Fine Black DIAGONAL and CORNSHREW for Dress Suits.  
Black, Blue & Brown Fancy and Check DIAGONAL COATINGS.  
Fancy and Check TWEED SUITINGS.  
Trousers, in a great variety of Stripes, Checks, &c.  
CHECKING FLANNELS, in Checks, Stripes & Plain.  
French Printed SHIRTINGS.  
Unshrinkable FLANNEL SHIRTINGS.  
Winter, Medium and Summer UNDER VESTS and PANTS.  
READY-MADE CLOSTERS IN STOCK.  
Solid LEATHER PORTMANTEAUS.  
OVERLAND TRUNKS, GLASS-GLASS BAGS, and a variety of TRAVELLING CASES, all sizes.  
SILK & Hosi, Black, Navy and Colours.  
Lamb's Wool, Merino and Lisle Thread & Hosi.  
White Dress SHIRTS.  
Lacing & E. S. BOOTS and SHOES.  
SHOOTING BOOTS, RUBBER BOOTS.  
Patent Leather Boots and SHOES.  
DRESSING PUMPS, all sizes.  
Large Stock of SCARVES, TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS, BRACES.

## ROBT. LANG & Co.

Hongkong, February 21, 1888. 226

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

FOR KOBE (DIRECT).  
The Steamship  
Antonio  
will be despatched for about the 25th Instant, at Daylight.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 21, 1888. 2167

FOR NEW YORK.  
The Steamship  
Lennox,  
Captain THOMAS, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 26th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 18, 1888. 2141

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Steamship  
Glen Line of STEAM PACKETS.  
The Steamship  
Glen Line of STEAM PACKETS.  
will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail.  
E. L. WOODIN,  
Superintendent.  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, December 17, 1888. 2132

FOR MARSEILLES.  
The Steamship  
Paris,  
shortly due here from Japan, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 28th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
A. R. MARTY,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, December 21, 1888. 2106

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  
FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Dionet,  
Captain BIZLEY, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 27th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 20, 1888. 2162

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Upack,  
J. C. JAGGER, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 26th Proximo.  
For Freight, &c., apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 20, 1888. 2163

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA  
(FLORIO & ROBERTSON UNITED COMPANIES.)  
STEAM FOR  
SINGAPORE, PENANG, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and GENOA; all MEDITERRANEAN, ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS, up to CALLED. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD.

The Co.'s Steamship  
Serra,  
Capt. OBOARA, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 26th Instant. At BOMBAY the Steamers are discharging in PRINCE'S DOCK.

For further particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to  
CARLOWITZ & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 18, 1888. 2142

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY & POOCHOW.  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Hedong,  
Captain ROUGH, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, December 21, 1888. 2164

## Intimations.

### NOTICE.

LADY DES VOUX'S AFTERNOON RECEPTIONS at Government House will recommence on MONDAY, January 7th, and will be continued on every subsequent Monday until further Notice.  
Hongkong, December 21, 1888. 2163

## CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 25th and 26th December.

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China.'  
JOHN THURBURN,  
Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.'  
T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.'  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

For the 'Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris.'  
CHANTREY INCHALD,  
Agent, Hongkong.

For the New 'Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited.'  
E. W. RUTTER,  
Manager, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, December 21, 1888. 2165

## NOTICE.

A SECRETARY IS WANTED for the HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. Applications to be addressed to the CHAIRMAN, on an early date.  
Hongkong, December 20, 1888. 2150

## THE EAST Borneo Planting COMPANY, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.  
By Order of the Directors,  
H. SHEPPARD,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, December 19, 1888. 2146

## CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN accordance with Section 13 of the Articles of Association, the General Assembly, with Approval of the Constituting Committee, will on the 1st January, 1889, issue INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per SHARE, PAYABLE at the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, the same being at the Rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1888, and Notice is hereby given that in Order that the same may be adjusted the Transfer BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Agents,  
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.  
Hongkong, December 17, 1888. 2135

## Share Lists will close at 4 p.m. on the 26th of December 1888.

Dated the 11th day of December 1888.

## THE SHANGHAI LAND INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Incorporated under Companies Ordinance 1895 of 1888 of Hongkong, whereby the Limited Liability of the Shareholders is secured.

CAPITAL 1,000,000 TAELS.  
DIVIDED INTO 20,000 SHARES OF 50 TAELS EACH.

WITH Power to increase, of which 1,000 Shares are to be issued paid up in part payment of purchase-money, 5,000 Shares have been subscribed for and will be allotted, 5,000 Shares are reserved for subscription in London, and 8,000 Shares are now offered for public subscription in China, Hongkong and Japan, payable as follows:—

5 Taels on application, 5 Taels on allotment, 10 Taels on the 15th of March 1889 and 10 Taels on the 1st of July 1889. It is not anticipated that any further calls will be required.

Directors:  
EDWARD JENNER HOGG, Esq.,  
JOHN GREME FURON, Esq., or Messrs. MESSING & Co.,  
WALTER CYRIL WARD, Esq., or Messrs. TAYSON & Co.,  
ALEXANDER GEORGE WOOD, Esq., or Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
Legal Advisers,  
H. S. WILKINSON, Esq.

PROSPECTUS may be obtained and Articles of Association may be seen at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank at Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, December 20, 1888. 2161







urges, which are carried on in a Chinese manner, would astonish the stranger, unaccustomed to the modes and habits of Chinese life; the consequence being that the streets are necessarily in a dirty condition, and the drainage of the city, by means of drains and lanes into drains, suitable for rain only and unprovided with ventilators, would of itself very soon cause a nuisance. Sir Robert Rawlinson says:—“The duplicate system of sewers are seldom required, as the sewer proper would then be sufficient at the first, and the drains of the water during falls of rain, and the overflowing of land, ditches, roads, and gutters during the first falls of heavy rain would many cases be so polluted as the ‘sewerage the true sewers.’”

It is recommended in the Minutes of the Institution of Civil Engineers on the sewerage of Towns in the Separate System by Mr. A. E. White, the following remarks occur:—“It probably is necessary in almost all cases (in order to avoid an unnecessarily complicated arrangement of branch drains) to admit the water from back

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**Hongkong, Saturday Noon, 22nd December, 1888.**

Loans to Imperial Chinese Government.	Agents for the Loan.	Amount of Loan.	Par Value of Bonds.	Rate of Interest.	When Payable.	Closing Quotations.
Chinese Imperial Govt. Silver Loan 1884 B	Hongkong Shanghai Banking Corporation	\$1,394,700.14 H'kong Currency.	\$500 H'kong Currency.	3% per annum	30 June each year until 1890	3% per annum
Chinese Imperial Govt. Silver Loan 1884 C	Do.	\$1,594,700.14 H'kong Currency. Kupies Tls. 700,000. Equivalent of Shanghai Tls. 767,200. Allotted at exchange of Tls. 72 per \$100	\$500 H'kong Currency.	3% " "	15 Oct. " " 1892	5% " "
Chinese Imperial Govt. 7 per Cent. Silver Loan 1886 E	Do.	H'kong currency. Drawn Bonds and interest payable at current rate of the day for demand bills on Shanghai.	Shanghai Taels 250,700	7% " "	31st March and 30th Sept. each year until 31st Mo. 1917	14% " "

† Depreciation and Insurance Fund.

Hongkong, December 19, 1888. 214

Agents.

Hongkong, December 13, 1888. 810

BAKE, at the China Mail Office, No. 2  
Wyndham Street, Hongkong.